

December 17

In the evening, the President attended a Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee dinner at a private residence.

The President announced his intention to appoint Paul LeClerc as a member of the President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities.

The President announced the recess appointment of Sarah M. Fox as a member of the National Labor Relations Board.

**Nominations
Submitted to the Senate**

NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

**Checklist
of White House Press Releases**

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released December 11

Statement by the Press Secretary: Official Delegation for Panama Canal Turnover

Released December 14

Transcript of a press briefing by Council on Environmental Quality Chairman George Frampton and Interior Secretary Bruce Babbitt on expansion of the national park system

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Released December 15

Transcripts of press briefings by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Secretary of the Treasury Stuart Eizenstat on action by Germany to compensate Nazi victims of forced labor

Released December 16

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Transcript of a press briefing by Secretary of State Madeleine Albright on the Israel-Syria peace talks

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Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Transcript of a press briefing by NSC Senior Director for European Affairs Antony J. Blinken on the United States-European Union Summit

**Acts Approved
by the President**

Approved December 12

S. 335 / Public Law 106-168

To amend chapter 30 of title 39, United States Code, to provide for the nonmailability of certain deceptive matter relating to sweepstakes, skill contests, facsimile checks, administrative procedures, orders, and civil penalties relating to such matter, and for other purposes

Approved December 14

H.R. 3443 / Public Law 106-169
Foster Care Independence Act of 1999

Approved December 17

H.R. 1180 / Public Law 106-170
Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Improvement Act of 1999